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1. ECONOMIC TRENDS REPORT FOR THE SECOND HALF OF 1978 IS DUE AUGUST 1. FOR THIS REPORT ALONE, WE WOULD PREFER TO SUBMIT THE REPORT ONE MONTH LATER, ON SEPTEMBER 1. THE THIRTY DAY POSTPONEMENT WILL IN THIS INSTANCE ALLOW US TO SUBMIT A MUCH MORE MEANINGFUL OUTLOOK AND EVALUATION DUE TO:

(A) SCHEDULED COMPLETION OF THE OUTLINES OF AN MTN PACKAGE IN LATE JULY. THERE IS NO SINGLE ELEMENT WHICH COULD AFFECT LATE 1978 PROSPECTS MORE THAN THE RESULTS OF THE MTN. A CHANCE TO FIRST SEE THE OUTLINES OF A BASIC PACKAGE WILL GREATLY ENHANCE OUR REPORT.

(B) A MAJOR CONFERENCE, AT WHICH THE EMBASSY WILL BE REPRESENTED, OF NEW ZEALAND ECONOMISTS IS SCHEDULED FOR LATE AUGUST. THIS MEETING WILL, INTER ALIA, REVIEW FUTURE SHORT TERM PROSPECTS. THE TRENDS REPORT WILL BENEFIT GREATLY FROM ANY INPUT DERIVED FROM THIS MEETING.

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2. THEREFORE, UNLESS DEPARTMENT OBJECTS, WE PLAN TO ADJUST CERP REPORTING SCHEDULE TO SHOW A DUE DATE FOR THE TRENDS REPORT OF SEPTEMBER 1, FOR THIS REPORT ONLY.  
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